Poverty Rates in Appalachia, 1990 Compared with the U.S. Average **NEW YORK** WISCONSIN **MICHIGAN** PENNSYLVANIA оню INDIANA **ILLINOIS** WEST VIRGINIA **VIRGINIA** TENNESSEE NORTH CAROLINA SOUTH CAROLINA **GEORGIA** 100 Miles MISSISSIPPI ALABAMA Poverty rate is the ratio of persons below poverty level to the total Percent of the U.S. Average number of persons for whom poverty status has been determined. 150.1% - 397.4% The percent of the U.S. average is computed by dividing the county poverty rate by the national average and multiplying by 100. 100.1% - 150.0% U.S. average = 13.1% Appalachian average = 15.4% 75.1% - 100.0% 30.3% - 75.0% Appalachian Map Created: June 2002. Regional

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